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PRESS RELEASE

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Thursday, March 14, 2002, 2 p.m. Saturday, May 4, 2002

Date/Time of Occurrence

Saturday, May 4, 2002

Nature of Event: Location of Event: Third Annual D.A.R.E. Fun Run Sierra College track, Rocklin

Released by: Dena Erwin, Community Services Officer, (530) 886-3592

SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:

It's time to strap on those running shoes and get in shape for the Placer County Sheriff Department's third annual D.A.R.E. Fun Run, to be held Saturday, May 4, at the Sierra College track in Rocklin.

The event is held each year to benefit the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program, which the Sheriff's Department utilizes to educate elementary and middle school students on the dangers of drugs, alcohol and violence. Students are taught the importance of high self-esteem and of making good choices in their lives.

D.A.R.E. deputies are seeking sponsors for this popular 5K and 10K event that draws more than 100 runners. Sponsorship ranges from \$100 to \$500, with sponsors receiving their logo on various promotional items and free race-day booth space. Booth space is available to others for \$100. To make a monetary donation, contact Deputy Mark Weisman at (530) 889-6948.

Runners may request a registration form by calling (916) 791-5159. The children's races begin at 8 a.m. and the adult 5K and 10K races begin at 8:30 a.m. Kids' races are free and do not require pre-registration. Adult registration is \$18 for forms postmarked by April 26. Race day registration begins at 7 a.m. and will cost \$20. Pre-registered runners will receive a commemorative T-shirt. Registration will not be accepted between April 29 and May 3.